



# Callahan County Texas

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	961	-3
Land in farms (acres)	477,812	-15
Average size of farm (acres)	497	-12
<b>Total (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	31,240,000	+4
Government payments	711,000	-63
Farm-related income	3,130,000	-8
Total farm production expenses	35,974,000	-2
Net cash farm income	-894,000	+41
<b>Per farm average (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	32,508	+8
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	3,553	-53
Farm-related income	12,038	-13
Total farm production expenses	37,434	+1
Net cash farm income	-930	+39

## (Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	10
Livestock, poultry, and products	90

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	18
Pastureland	75
Woodland	6
Other	1

### Acres irrigated: 228

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	4
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	13
Cover crop	1

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	473	49
\$2,500 to \$4,999	109	11
\$5,000 to \$9,999	122	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	108	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	60	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	43	4
\$100,000 or more	46	5

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	77	8
10 to 49 acres	282	29
50 to 179 acres	287	30
180 to 499 acres	156	16
500 to 999 acres	63	7
1,000 + acres	96	10

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>31,240</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>2,118</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>3,043</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>2,560</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,313	132	232	2,049	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	150	174	498	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	360	66	188	1,069	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	84	225	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	145	155	1,629	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	36	43	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	960	143	251	1,913	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>28,197</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>1,374</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	117	235	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	26,748	73	254	596	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	94	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	216	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	222	77	247	719	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	802	41	254	245	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	63	79	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	370	52	229	362	2,878

**Total Producers <sup>c</sup>**

**1,573**

**Sex**

Male	978
Female	595

**Age**

<35	106
35 – 64	821
65 and older	646

**Race**

American Indian/Alaska Native	5
Asian	1
Black or African American	7
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	1,549
More than one race	11

**Other characteristics**

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	60
With military service	261
New and beginning farmers	489

**Percent of farms that:**

Have internet access **75**

Farm organically **-**

Sell directly to consumers **3**

Hire farm labor **17**

Are family farms **97**

**Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>**

Wheat for grain, all	21,892
Forage (hay/haylage), all	15,638
Sorghum for grain	(D)
Cotton, all	(D)
Oats for grain	(D)

**Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)**

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	286
Cattle and calves	49,682
Goats	2,124
Hogs and pigs	156
Horses and ponies	1,343
Layers	3,154
Pullets	870
Sheep and lambs	1,645
Turkeys	248

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.